MONDAY, FEB. 4.

In the Senate, the District appropriation bil was considered. Mr. Butler (S. C., D.) made an effort to take

was made by Mr. Chandler (N. H., R.). "Very well," Mr. Butler remarked; "I have done my duty in the matter, and the Senator from New Hampshire must take the responsibility of his action."

"I do not propose," Mr. Chandler replied with an angry expression, "to be scolded by the Senator from South Carolina or any one else for exercising my privilege as a Senator. I took the responsibility." "The Senator from New Hampshire," Mr.

Butler remarked in a tone of contempt, "must think that I have a good deal of time to dispose his objections the other day, but said he would of if he supposes that I would use it in scoiding not renew them. "The Senator," said Mr. Chandler, "talked

about my taking the responsibility." "I repeat that," said Mr. Butter, "Well," said Mr. Chandler, "I take it, "Then take it," said Mr. Butler,

tions for the current year of \$437,903.25. and passed.

TUESDAY, FEB. 5.

In the Senate, Mr. Mitchell (Ore., R.) rose to

would not take three minutes, but Mr. Harris shook his head. "Then," said Mr. Mitchell, with growing im-Senstors cannot submit a brief explanation if Army.

they so desire. It is remarkable," "It is needless for the Senator to protest,"

nusual," said Mr. Mitchell. "I want the Senator to understand," retorted Mr. Harris, measuring each word, "that I am | legal election in that State. capable of doing unusual things and am responsible for doing unusual things,"

"Yes," answered Mr. Mitchell, his flushed face showing intense indignation, "I appreciate that the Senator is capable of doing unusnal things," and then Mr. Mitchell added, "and he is capable of doing ungentlemanly things." Mr. Harris stepped forward from his desk, and for a moment it seemed that he was about to resent the statement in an unusual and emphatic way. He paused, however, and then with a gesture toward Mr. Mitchell and addressing him directly, said; "Let me tell you, mir, that your conduct is contemptible, con-

The presiding officer rapped the House to order, and the District appropriation bill was debated and passed.

In the House, debate on the new currency bill consumed the day. Mr. Springer (Ill., D.) Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Currency, opened the debate with a long statement concerning the condition of the Treasury. He produced figures to show that there would be an estimated surplus of \$26,000,000 in the revenues at the end of the present calendar year, but a deficiency at the end of the fiscal year, June 30, of \$20,000,000. The deficiency now was \$34,000,000, but this would be reduced \$14,000,000 in the coming five months. On June 30, 1896, he said, there would be in the rived from the sale of bonds.

by banks on deposit of legal tenders).

Mr. Swanson (Va., D.) bitterly criticised the bridge. Administration. The present trouble was due to two causes, deficiency of revenue and the gold raid on the Treasury. Congress passed a bill for coining the seigniorage; the President vetoed it. That bill would have placed \$52,-000,000 in the Treasury. Mr. Walker (Mass., R.) also opposed the Ad-

ministration measure. He was very sarcastic at times. He said Mr. Carlisle was a good man, but no financier, and said if Mr. John Sherman was at the helm of the Treasury the present trouble would be ended shortly.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 6.

In the Senate, the Diplomatic and Consular appropriation bill was then taken up. The bill moved along smoothly until the two important amendments were reached concerning Samoa and Hawaii. The first proposed \$6,000 for the execution of our treaty obligation with Samon. It was expected this might precipitate a contest, but it was agreed to. The Hawaiian amendment proposed an ap-

propriation of \$500,000 to begin the work of laying a cable between the United States and Hawaii, and authorizing the President to contract for the entire work.

Mr. Biackburn, in charge of the bill, stated that he expected this item would occasion some debate, but he asked that it be passed over until the formal items of the bill had been dis-A number of minor amendments to the bill

were agreed to and the Hawaiian cable item then came up again. Mr. Hale (Me., R.) addressed the Senate in favor of cable connection with Hawaii.

Mr. Vest (Mo., D.) and Mr. Palmer (III., D.) asked the cost of the entire cable. Mr. Hale said that he had careful estimates made by cable experts. The distance along the

surveyed route was about 2,100 miles. The estimates showed the cost to be about \$10,000 to \$12,000 per mile. This would make a total cost of \$2,500,000 to \$2,600,000 for the entire

Mr. Allen (Neb., P.) asked what right this Government had to enter upon the project. "The same right," said Mr. Hale, "that Jefferson had in adding Louisiana to our territory. The same right Mr. Seward had in securing Alaska."

"I will predict," said Mr. Teller, "that the next Administration, be it Democratic, Repub-

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liean or Populistic, will see to it that the Ha-walian Islands are a part of this Republic, and that the flag of the United States flies over them, as it does over us." The item was laid aside for further debate.

In the House, debate was continued on the bill to authorize the issue of \$560,000,000 gold bonds. Before the House went into Committee of the Whole the resolution of Mr. Livingston (Ga., D.) was passed suggesting the arbitration of the difficulty over the boundary-line dispute between British Guiana and Venezuela, and also a bill granting to the Glia Valley, Globs & Northern Railroad Co. a right of way up and pass the House bill for the appointment | through the San Carlos Indian reservation, corof cadets to the Naval Academy, but objection | rected to meet the objections of the President in his veta message.

> THURSDAY, FEB. 1. In the Senate, no conclusion was reached on the question of laying a cable to Hawaii.

A sequel to the spirited incident of the other day between Mr. Mitchell, of Oregon, and Mr. Harris, of Tennessee, occurred when the former of Wales. presented an explanation of certain sugar-

Mr. Mitchell said he was glad to hear the Senator admit that he had made a mistake. It

Mr. Harris, looking rather serious, spoke of

and then sat down again, evidently ready to amounts of ammunition. let the personal incident close. Mr. Mitchell said the sugar-bounty claims

had brought out a difference of opinion in the sessment of \$4 per capita. In the House, Mr. Dockery (Mo.), from the Claims Committee. There were two proposi-Appropriations Committee, reported the Legis- tions submitted. One was to pay in full the lative, Executive and Judicial appropriation | balance of the bounty earned up to the passage bill. It carries an appropriation of \$21,305,526 of the new tariff act, which repealed the bounty; 52, which is a reduction under the estimates of the other was to pay one-half of the bounty \$543,575 05, and an increase over the appropria- for the year 1895 since the passage of the act. The majority of the committee believed in The House went into Committee of the Whole | paying the amount of the bounty earned prior on the Agricultural appropriation bill. After a to the act. They made a pro forms recomshort debate the bill was reported to the House | mendation to that effect-not to the Senate, but to the Appropriations Committee, Mr. Mr. Mitchell said his personal view was that these claims were a legal obligation as well as | ciety as I Have Found It." an equitable one. The aggregate of the claims for the bounty earned prior to the passage of make a report on certain sugar bounty claims, the tariff act was \$237,000. The Commissioner in the State except over buildings occupied by on which he said he desired to make a brief ex- of Internal Revenue suggested \$250,000 for Consuls. meeting these claims. But the main claims "There will have to be an explanation when | were for one-half the bounty after the tariff the subject comes up," interposed Mr. Harris act was passed. The total bounty would be (Tenn., D.), "so that it will be a waste of time about \$15,000,000, and the claims for one-half to have an explanation now. I therefore ob- would be \$7,750,000. The total of claims before and after the tariff act would thus the alleged will of the millionaire. Mr. Mitchell urged that the explanation aggregate about \$8,000,000. The claims were referred.

In the House, a bill was passed to pension at patience, "I will not make the report; I will the rate of \$50 per month the widow of Brig.withdraw it. It is most extraordinary that Gen. J. C. Kelton, late Adjutant-General, U. S. Rhode Island and has on it 2,000 horses, 15,000

Mr. Grosvenor (Ohio, R.) asked unanimous consent for the consideration of a joint resolusaid Mr. Harris. "I object; and I emphasize tion for the appointment of a committee to received \$222,000 from the National Typoinvestigate the validity of the election in Ten-"The action of the Senator is unusual, most nessee last November. The resolutions recited type-setting machine patents for England in Senior Vice Commander, which position he reat length the allegations made by a large body | 1889. of the citizens of that State that there was no Mr. Cox objected.

The third reading of the Currency Bill was refused on a rising vote of 97 to 159. This was conivalent to a defeat of the bill. The roll-call confirmed the defeat of the measure, the vote standing 134 to 161.

Mr. Springer then entered a motion to reconsider the vote by which the third reading of the bill was refused, and Mr. Hatch (Mo., D.), promptly moved to lay that motion on the table. The latter motion was carried-135 to

This ended the fight. The victors made the Hall of Representatives ring with their shouts.

FRIDAY, FEB. 8.

In the Senate, the President's message was out opposition. The Hawaiian cable amendment was further discussed.

In the House, the message was also read. to beneficially enlarge the powers of the Secretary of the Treasury in the premises, as to enloin imme-The legislative appropriation bill was read by | diate Executive action with the facilities now at

SATURDAY, FEB. 9.

In the Senate, a communication was received from the Secretary of the Treasury in response Tressury \$85,000,000 of surplus revenues de- to a resolution offered by Mr. Hill (N. Y., D.) Mr. Cox (Tenn., D.), in opposition to the bill, | lection of the income tax, and stating that they taunted Mr. Springer with his agility in get- and all parts thereof are based on the provisions ting on every side of every question. He made of the tariff of Aug. 28, 1894, as that act is cona vigorous argument in favor of the substitute strued and understood by the Department. The he should offer, which was based on the prin- paper was ordered to be printed and lie on the ciple of the Carlisle bill (the issue of circulation | table. The remainder of the session was taken up by eulogies on the death of Senator Stock-

> In the House, some progress was made with the Legislative appropriation bill. The amendment of Mr. Bartlett (N. Y., D.) to make the personal clerks of the members of the House annual employes instead of sessional, was agreed to in Committee of the Whole by a vote of 124 to 59. Mr. McMillin (Tenn., D.) gave notice that he would demand a vote by year and nays in the House upon the adoption of the amendment.

The House proceeded at 5 o'clock to listen to eulogies upon the life and services of the late Myron B. Wright, of Pennsylvania.

MONDAY, FEB. 11.

In the Senate, the Postoffice appropriation bill was considered. Senator Allen introduced a large number of petitions relating to the recent election in Alabama, and intimated that he would like to make a speech in reference to them. He held the floor for two bours, and read depositions in proof of election frauds in Alabama, which did not attract the attention of the Senate, or worry the Southern Senators.

In the House, the Legislative appropriation bill consumed the day.

Encampment 34, Delaware.

The seventh anniversary of this Encampment was held in Wilmington on Feb. 2. It was expected that Commander-in-Chief Tanper would be present, but he was unable to

A bountiful supper had been prepared by the aided by the auxiliary. Pending preparations | dollar at all times in the markets and in the payto replenish the inner man in the parlor, the comrades in the hall indulged, each in his turn, in rehearing some interesting reminiscence of the war. rades Col. L. P. Roderick, Tuxbury, French, National Junior Vice-Commander Donahoe, Wilcox, Wilhelm, Orr, Lieut, Col. Conner, Maj. Haymen, Solloway, Moody, Smith, Adj't Mc-Closkey, Chaplain Lamplaugh, and others. The affair was a success, and altogether enjoyable. Two much cannot be said in praise of the ladies of the auxiliary, who left nothing undene to-ward contributing to the comfort of the occasion. On the following day the comrades at-tended with the G.A.R. and all old soldiers memorial service at Asbury M. E. Church.

Of Historic Interest.

Joel A. Delano, Grove, Mich., writes: "Under the head of Brief News of Jan. 24, I see E. T. Bates, of Bennington, Vt., is the possessor of a commission given his father, W. Bates, in 1836, as Lieutenant in the artillery company attached to the First Brigade, First Division, Vermont Militia, signed by Silas H. Jennison, Governor, etc. I have a Gen. Schofield's name for the position. warrant signed by Aaron Burr, esq., Colonel commanding 3d Regiment, Third Brigade, Third Division, appointing Sylvester Delane (my father) Orderly-Sergeant in the fifth company April 9, 1825. I have a commission appointing my father Ensign in the fifth company of infantry, 3d Regiment,
Third Brigade, Third Division, Vermont
Militia, given at Montpelier, Vt., June 6,
1826, signed by Cornelius P. Van Ness, Governor; D. Kellogg, Secretary; with indorsement of oath on back before Dan H. Benjamin, Major of 3d Regiment, June 26, 1826. I also possess a commission to my father as Captain of fifth company of infantry, 3d Regiment, Third Brigade, Third Division, given at Montpelier, Vt., Oct. 17, 1628, signed by Ezra Butler, Governor | D. Kellogg, Secretary; with oath of office on back dated April 29, 1829, before Dan H. Benjamin, Lieutenant-Colonel, 3d Regiment.

BRIEF NEWS.

R is reported that Chinese soldiers attacked Capt. Cartwright, of the British warship Pigeon, in the streets of Nankin, hooting at him and pelting him with mud.

The Sioux Indians will erect a monument to Chief Iron Nation.

Fifty women joined the National American Woman's Suffrage Association at a meeting pre-sided over by Susan B. Anthony, and held after the adjournment of the National Convention in Atlanta, Ga.

Henry Clay Evans took the oath of office as Governor of Tennessee at the Capitol on Feb. 7. It was administered by Justice of the Peace T. O. Morris. Secretary of State Morton and the Legislature will not recognize Evans as Governer, nor will Gov. Turney surrender the office until the returns have been settled.

Wood carving is the latest fad of the Princess

The "Father of the House of Commons," Charles Pelham Villiers, recently celebrated the 93d appiversary of his birth. He has represented Wolverhampton in Parliament since

Mexico still continues preparations for war, looked for a moment as though the sparks | evidently distrusting Guatemala's professions, might fly again, but Mr. Harris rose to reply and is testing big guus and buying large

Funds for the National Pythian Sani tarium at Hot Springs, Ark., will be raised by an as-

The corner-stone of a monument to Polk the first President of the National Farmers' Alliance, was laid in Oakwood Cemetery, Raleigh, N. C., the other day.

Robert Louis Stevenson not only left his memoirs, but also a complete, but as yet unpublished story entitled "Northern Lights." There are also two unfinished novels.

The death of Ward McAllister has resulted in a revival of the demand for his book, "So-The Legislature of Colorado has passed a

bill prohibiting the flying of any foreign flag A cablegram from Admiral Carpenter to the

Secretary of the Navy confirms the report of the capture of Wei-Hai-Wei by the Japanese. The children of James G. Fair will contest

Hon. John L. Stevens, ex-Minister to Hawaii, died at Augusta, Me., Feb. 8. Ex-Senator Warren rarely takes a morning's walk around his Wyoming farm. One reason is that it is six times as big as the State of

cattle, and 130,000 sheep. Stilson Hutchins, of New Hampshire, has

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani has abdicated all claim to the throne of Hawaii, and has taken the oath of allegiance to the Republic.

NEW BOND LOAN. The President Tells of a Contract with a Syndicate.

The President sent the following message to Congress last Friday:

Since my recent communication to the Congress calling attention to our financial condition and suggesting legislation which I deemed essential to our National welfare and credit, the anxiety and apprehension then existing in business circles have As a precaution, therefore, against the failure of

timely legislative aid through Congressional action, cautious preparations have been pending to employ to the best possible advantage, in default of better In the Senate, the President's message was means, such Executive authority as may, without received and read. Mr. Sherman introduced a additional legislation, be exercised for the purpose bill appropriating \$10,000 for the relief of the of reinforcing and maintaining in our Treasury an Washington poor. The bill was passed with-out expection. The Hawaiian cable amend-in the judgment of those especially charged with this responsibility, the business situation is so criti-cal and the legislative situation is so unpromising. with the omission thus far on the part of Congress

Therefore, in pursuance of Section 3700 of the Revised Statutes, the details of an arrangement have this day been concluded with parties abundantly able to fulfill their undertaking, whereby bonds of the United States, authorized under the act of July 14, 1875, payable in coin 30 years after their date, with interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, accompanied by blank forms used in the col- to the amount of a little less than \$62,400,000, are to be issued for the purchase of gold coin, amounting to a sum slightly in excess of \$65,000,000, to be delivered to the Treasury of the United States, which sum, added to the gold now held in our reserve, will so restore such reserve as to make it amount

to something more than \$100,000,000. Such a premium is to be allowed to the Government upon our bonds as to fix the rate of interest upon the amount of gold realized at 3% per cent. per annum. At least one-half of the gold to be obtained is to be supplied from abroad, which is a very important and favorable feature of the trans-

The privilege is especially reserved to the Government to substitute at par, within 10 days from this date, in lieu of the four per cent, coin bonds, other bonds in terms payable in gold, and bearing only three per cent, interest, if the issue of the same should, in the meantime, be authorized by the

Congress. The arrangement thus completed, which, after careful inquiry, appears in present circumstances, and considering all the objects desired, to be the best attainable, develops such a difference in the estimation of investors between bonds made payable in coin and those specifically made payable in gold in favor of the latter as is represented by three-fourths of a cent in annual interest. In the agreement just concluded the annual saving in interest to the Government, if three per cent, gold bonds should be substituted for four per cent, coin bonds under the privilege reserved, would be \$539,-159, amounting in 30 years, or at maturity of the

oin bonds, to \$16,174,770. Of course there never should be a doubt in an quarter as to the redemption in gold of the bonds of the Government which are made payable in coin. Therefore the discrimination in the judgment of investors between our bond obligations payable in coin and those specifically made payable in gold is very sufficient. It is hardly necessary to suggest that whatever may be our views on the subject the sentiments or preferences of those with whom we must negotiate in disposing of our bonds for gold are not subject to dictation.

I have only to add that, in my opinion, the trans-

action herein detailed for the information of the Congress promises better results than the efforts previously made in the direction of effectively adding to our gold reserve through the sale of bonds; and I believe it will tend, as far as such action can in present circumstances, to meet the determination expressed in the law repealing the silver-purchasing clause of the act of July 14, 1890. and that in the language of such repealing act the arrangement made will aid our efforts to "insure the maintenance of the parity in value of the coins GROVER CLEVELAND. ments of debts." Executive Mansion, Feb. 8, 1895,

Michigan Ex-Prisoners.

nesday of January, 1896. The following officers

Schofield Lieutenant-General. Mai -Gen. Schoffeld was last week made Lieutenant-General of the Army by the signing of the bill creating such a grade by the President, and the sending at the same time to the Senate

There will result two vacancies in very high commands, one a Major-Generalship and the other a Brigadier-Generalship. It is conceded, however, that the first will be filled by the promotion of Brig.-Gen. Ruger, now at Chicage.

The ranking officers of the three arms of the service are Col. William R. Shafer, 1st Inf., now at Angel Island, Cal.; Col. H. W. Closson, 4th Art., at Fort Niobrara, Neb., and Col. James F. Wade, 5th Cav., at Fort Sam Houston, Tex. There are many other applicants in the field, and the number doubtless would include most of the Colonels in the Army had not Secretary Lamont taken so firm a stand against this method of bringing forward claims for advance-ment and referred instead to the record of officers, as in the case of Capt. Garlington.

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OF VETERANS.

News from Various Divisions-Election of Officers, etc.

REV. WALTER J. PATTON. An Energetic and Enthusiastic Worker for the Good of the Order.

The Chaplain-in-Chief of the Sons of Veterans, Rev. Walter J. Patton, was born in Montgomery County, Pa., July 7, 1856. Received his early education in the public schools of Boston, and later attended the Fort Edward Collegiate Institute of New York. He was married in 1876, and was engaged in business for several years in Philadelphia. In the Fall of 1883 he removed to the West, settling first in Ottawa and later in Chicago, Ill., following his trade, that of paperhanger and decorator.



In 1886 he entered the ministery of the M. E. Church, and was first appointed to Pewaukee, Wis., then to Sheboygan, and in the Fall of

1893 to Milwaukee, Wis. He became identified with the Order of Sons of Veterans in 1889, being a charter member of Carl Witte Camp, 37, which was mustered in at that time. He was Chaplain of his Camp during that year, and was reappointed. He was a delegate to the Wisconsin Division Encampment in 1889, and was elected Major of the Division, and the following year was appointed Division Chaplain on the staff of Col. Harry S. Fuller, and in June, 1893, was again appointed Division Chaplain on the staff of Commander W. C. Winter. In January, 1892, he was elected Captain of his Camp at Sheboygan, and held | Third Corps, and he told those present what it that office until he removed to Milwaukee, a year later. At the Division Encampment held ment of Chaplain-in-Chief on the staff of Com-

mander-in-Chief Wm. E. Bundy. Chaplain Patton has always been an energetic and enthusiastic worker in the Order, whether as Chaplain or Captain of his Camp or as Chaplain or Commander of his Division. He lets no opportunity pass to hold patriotic meetings in his church, and the Memorial Day services that he has conducted for several years can hardly be excelled anywhere. He is a true gentleman

THE DIVISIONS.

MAINE. The Department of History and Historical Relics is already showing the earnest efforts of President E. K. Gould and his associates, and will surely prove one of our Division's most interesting features in the near future. Brothers are urged to make themselves familiar with this new branch of our work, and lend their efforts for its success. For information address the Secretary, Waldo H. Perry, 191 Clark St., Portland, Me.

The attention of each member in the Division is called to the fact that the New England Association of Sons of Veterans holds its next annual Convention and banquet in Boston on Feb. 21 and 22. The banquet occurs on the evening of the 21st, the Convention on the 22d. The cost of membership in the Association, which exists for the purpose of strengthening the Order in New Eugland by a closer acquaintance between individual members, is but 25 cents per year. The cost of the banquet is \$1 per plate. It is likely that a large delegation from this Division will attend. Commander-in-Chief Wm. E. Bundy and Q.-M.-Gen. Loebenstein are to be present. Also, the Massachusetts Division's annual Encampment will occur on those same dates at the same place, and it will be pleasant to attend both meetings.

NEW YORK. W. S. Peck Camp, 216, Camden, has surrendered its charter. Since the issue of Division Order 10 the fol-

William H. King Camp, 106, at Hammondsport, N. Y., Nov. 1, 1894, by Capt. G. S. Dennison, of Camp 46, with 18 charter members. Captain, Burt Larrowe; First Lieut., John Williams; Second Lieut., M. H. Aber. Col. F. A. Conklin Camp, 57, at Luzerne,

with 27 charter members, by Capt. M. J. Dick-inson, of Camp 72, of Sandy Hill. Captain, H. J. Cole; First Lieut., J. F. Young; Second Lieut., W. S. Smead. It will be remembered that at the last Encampment it was decided to held the next annual Encampment during the month of June. The people of Syracuse now ask that the time

be changed from June to July 2, 3, 4 and 5. The Sons of Veterans organized a Camp at Feesburg, O., Jan. 24, with a strength of 36 members. Capt. L. Vern Williams, assisted by Capt. Ligget, of Ripley, officiated at the organization. They named the Camp Darlington Steward, in honor of a young soldier from that neighborhood, who died during the war in Anderson ville Prison. Capt., A. L. Pontino; First Lieut., A. M. Early; Second Lieut., J. P. Young. All the officers are worthy, intelligent young men of marked ability and fully competent to discharge the duties of the various offices. The membership consists of energetic individuals whose pride it will be to stand by their obligations. It is confidently expected that the membership will be increased to 50 at an early date. All are proud of the new orentertainment committee, the work being of the two metals and the equal power of every ganization. A permanent, prosperous and use-

ful Camp is expected. The 13th annual meeting of the Michigan | the Legislature, has been amended in commit- cuted. All business relating to patent Association of Union Ex-Prisoners of War was | tee satisfactorily to the interests of the Sons | gromptly attended to. held in Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 26. The of Veteraus, inasmuch as the bill now reads meeting was addressed by Hon. Charles E. Bel- | that the Sons of Veterans are to be allowed to knap and Col. P. V. Fox; they related incidents | carry arms. Division Councilman C. Day Rudy, | 66 of privations and sufferings during the war. | Capt. Karl Steward, Past Capt. A. S. Fisher, A Campfire was held in the evening. Capt. and Brother N. Scott, of Camp 15, Harrisburg, George E. Judd was called upon to preside. have been appointed a committee on the part Many of the comrades were called to the platform, and gave instances of their capture and | the Camps in connection with the proposed release. Old army songs were sung. The next legislation on the bill. Capt. Steward is Chairmeeting will be held second Tuesday and Wed-man. His address is P. O. Box 387, Harrisburg. All information Camps or members may be able were elected and installed: Pres., Tracheus to impart or desire on the subject, address Capt. Aldrich; First V.-P., Frederick Thiebeaud; Second V.-P., Orrin P. Huntley; Sec. and Treas., Joseph O. Bellaire; Chap., J. S. Preston located should be communicated with to vote for the interests of the Sons of Veterans. Col. James Crowther Camp, 89, Tyrone, was

mustered by Capt. Pl Al Furst, Camp 12, with 20 recruits. Capt., James Lane Beyer. Alfred Sickman Camp, 90, California, was mustered by Past Capt. Charles M. Harvey, Camp 265, with 60 recruits. Capt., C. N. Sav-Gen. S. K. Zook Camp, 244, Norristown, 25 recruits; Capt., William Griffith, Bridgeport; by Senior Vice Division Commander W. H.

Charles H. Ribbet Camp, 67—Capt., F. J. Hutchinson; First Lieut., S. C. Long; Second Lieut., F. P. Kemm. Union Volunteer Camp. Meadville—Capt., Ralph E. Eich; First Lieut., Charles Stewart; Second Lieut., Winfred Hudson; Chap., A. A. Wright; First Serg't, W. H., Barner; Q. M. S., Frank S. Moore; S. of G., Harry Eich; C. S., Cyrus McMichael; P. M., H. E. Gross; Corp'l, John Quay; C. G., A. E. Poole; P. G., F. J Glenn,

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The newly-elected Captain of Camp 198, Townville, is John E. Fross. Brother Fross is a worker, and it is hoped that this year will be a prosperous one in the history of the Camp.

VERMONT. E. B. Frost Camp. 13, St. Ju ary-Capt., F. M. Crosby; First Lieut., F. M. Bonette; Second Lieut., B. D. West; Chap., W. D. Mann; First Serg't, L. J. Allen; Q. M. S., H. F. Moore; S. of G., L. S. Page; P. M., H. E. Dean; C. of G., A. E. Wheelock; C. S., Herman Page; C. G., William Heath; P. G., Harry Skinner. Capt. Ress, of Camp 83, has appointed the following: Chap., C. J. Smith; First Serg't, J. T. Sadlier; Q. M. S., H. W. Gillett; S. of G., H. A. Gillett; C. S., M. L. Mobbs; P. M., W. C. Sprague; C. of C., J. Dunkwater; C. G., G. F.

Warren; P. G., J. C. Benway.
Camp 77, Johnson-Capt., V. S. Witherell;
First Lieut., E. W. Wright; Second Lieut., H. H. Cowles; Council, E. E. Holmes, A. Hill, H. Fullington.

Camp 86, Essex Junction-Capt., J. H. Burke First Lieut., O. G. Chase; Second Lieut., G. H. Clark; Council, F. W. Gove. J. W. Crown, J.

Division Commander U . Jones has ap- of these were of the original company. At the pointed Past Cols. E. W. Young, of Seattle; W. | roll-call the complete list of the company was H. Fletcher and B. W. Comer, of Tacoma, and | called. Response for the dead was made by Harry Rosenhaupt and Hiram E. Allen, of some comrade present by giving some informa-Spokane, a committee to formulate and prepare | tion of his family or friends, or by relating a set of by-laws for this Division, to be sub- some reminiscence with which the deceased mitted to the next Encampment to be held at | comrade was particularly associated. After the Spokane.

REUNIONS.

Meetings and Other Matters Pertaining to Various Organizations.

COLORADO. Members of Colorado regiments are invited to correspond with Geo. K. Kimball, President of the association, Golden, Colo., sending their names, company, regiment, postoffice address, etc., in order that a new roster may be made, and some arrangements made for a meeting. MASSACHUSETTS.

The 25th annual Rennion of the 9th Mass. battery Association was held at Young's Hotel last week with 40 members present. President John K. Norwood presided. The guests of the evening were Mr. Charles Carleton Cof- to count the cost of the storm in this way fin and Capt. C. A. Q. Norton. Memorial added to the distress and discomfort, its appallservices were held for departed cemrades and the eulogy was delivered by Mr. Coffin. The following officers were elected for the ensuing | lation. year: Pres., John K. Norwood; V.-P., J. J.

Chapin; Sec. and Treas., J. H. Whitmore. The Reunion of the 1st Mass. H. A. was held in Boston last week. The postprandial exercises were opened by President Francis C. Curtis, who, after welcoming the comrades, spoke of the invitations extended to the Association to join the Third Corps in Rennion at Hadley, the birthplace of Gen. Joe Hooker, May 7. Capt. Isaac P. Gragg was introduced as the representative of the committee of the was proposed to do at Hadley. Upon motion of Col. Chatswell it was voted that the 1st signed in the Fall of 1894 to accept the appoint | meeting so many of his comrades about the festive board, and closed by eulogizing Gen. Hooker. Ho was followed by Capt. "Jack" Adams, who expressed his pleasure at being present and said that he felt he could claim companionship with the Association, as he had a brother who served in Co. D. Alluding to veteran Reunions, Campfires, etc., he said they inculcated patriotism, and he urged his comrades to keep them up as long as they possibly could. Other speakers followed.

The 12th Mass., at its Reunion in Beston the other day, elected these officers: Pres., Col. B. F. Cook; V.-P's, Moses W. Arnold, Albert Clark; Treas., John E. Gilman; Sec. pro tem., George Kimball; Auditors, Henry H. Waugh, Daniel W. Ford, Walter E. Briggs.

MICHIGAN. Charles D. Cowles, Secretary, 11th Mich. Lansing: There will be a grand rally of old soldiers in this city in March. The day will be of special interest to members of the 17th, 19th, and 20th Mich., as on the day to be appointed it is expected that the colors of these regiments, lost in the war, will be returned. Members of these regiments should write me. C. H. Morse, Commissioner of Labor, Lansing: Reunion 3d Mich. Cav. at Lansing, March

NEW JERSEY. Alphonso S. Still, Secretary and Treasurer, Trenton: Reunion 2d N. J. Cav. at Trenton, M. S. Berry, Brownville, Me .: Reunion of the

8th N. Y. battery in Delaware County, N. Y., in Fall of 1895. The survivors of the 47th N. Y. (Washington Grays) will celebrate Olusttee Day at their Headquarters, Military Hall, 193 Bowery, New York City, on Wednesday evening, Feb. 20, 1895. The officers of the Association for the present year are: Pres., Henry A. Phillips; V.-P., Thomas McKeough; Sec. and Treas., Chas. Wange, alias Walker; Chap., Sylvester Russell; Serg't-at-Arms, Beekman Grannatt. All communications should be addressed to lowing new Camps have been mustered into the | Charles Waage, 293 Irving avenue, Brooklyn,

PENNSYLVANIA. M. McKeever, Secretary, 1100 Passynnk avenue, Philadelphia: Reunion Cameron Dragoons

at Industrial Hall, Cavairy Post-room, Feb. 22. At Manston, Wis., on Dec. 28 and 29, 1894, there was a Reunion of Co. E, 12th Wis. Over 200 men have belonged to Co. E at different times, 84 of whom are yet living, and 27 were present at this gathering. Of the 103 men who enlisted in the company at its organization in September, 1861, there are 60 living, and 23 of these were present at this meeting. Since the last Reunion at Kilbourn City, Wis., in June, 1892, seven of the company have fallen from

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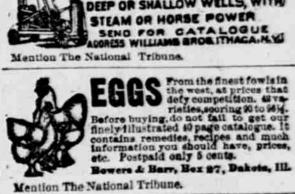
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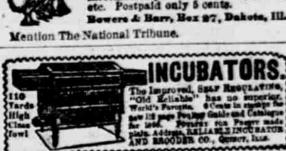
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